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Title

Centralized Control and Management

System for Automobiles

### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Alex L. Yip 34,759 Registration No. Attorney Name December 21, 1998 Date of Signature

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed are a Response to Restriction Requirement under 35 U.S.C. § 121, Second Preliminary Amendment and Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; Change of Correspondence Address; Letter to Official Draftsperson; Form PTO-1449; copies of listed references; and a check in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the fee as calculated below.

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- 2.(a)(X) An Extension of Time to respond to the PTO communication dated <u>October 23, 1998</u> is hereby requested. A check covering the required fee, indicated below, is enclosed:

Extension for response (check only one):

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- (b)() In the event that an extension of time is required, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.
- 3. In the event of non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or to credit Deposit Account No. 04-2216 as required to correct the error.

Respectfully,

Alex L. Yip, Attorney

Reg. No. 34,759

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Date: December 21, 1998

Enclosures